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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 18 October 1967

DD/I reported on overhead reconnaissance of Vietnam and Laos taken on 15 October.



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Lehman for Godfrey discussed the Middle East situation.

Kent reported on the status of NIE 11-8 and suggested a special USIB meeting on this Estimate for Tuesday next. The Director agreed.

Kent reported a memorandum in hand on security conditions in Saigon in preparation for the Vice President's visit there during the inauguration ceremonies the end of October. The Director asked Kent to check this paper with C/FE, after which he will disseminate it to the Vice President.

The Director asked Kent for a copy in draft of the Vietnamese Force-Strength Estimate on Friday morning.

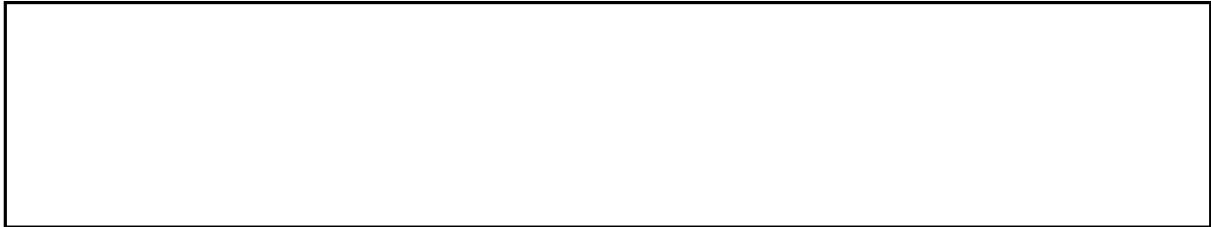
DD/S reported the recovery of a number of Agency documents from a small town in southern Mississippi. This apparently resulted from the declaration as surplus of certain safes belonging to the Bureau of Mines. (See Action 1)

Carver reported a call from George Carroll asking for assistance in getting the Vice President read in for his trip to Saigon. He will send appropriate documents.

The Director asked Warner to let him know when Senator Russell returns from Georgia.

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DD/S&T briefed the Director on the Soviet Venus probe, which he described as a spectacular accomplishment.



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DDCI called attention to a report on North Vietnam and to a report on Ayub's visit to the USSR.

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ACTION:

1. The Director asked the DD/I to review the distribution of Agency publications with an eye to cutting down on dissemination.



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